



PROCLAMATION

*The Foodbank of Santa Barbara
KCOY Spring Food Drive Month
April 21 – May 21, 2008*

WHEREAS, the KCOY Spring Foodbank Drive is the largest single foodbank drive in Santa Barbara County. Over the past five years it has collected more than a quarter of a million pounds of food; and

WHEREAS, participants with collection barrels range from grocery stores, businesses, schools, civic organizations, churches, to government employees and local hospitals; and

WHEREAS, hundreds come to KCOY studios to deliver canned goods on the final day of the drive; and

WHEREAS, KCOY is dedicated to the community. The station runs public service announcements for dozens of service groups in the area; and

WHEREAS, The Foodbank of Santa Barbara County depends on community-minded individuals, organizations and businesses like KCOY to donate food for people in need; and

WHEREAS, Through over 220 social service agencies the Foodbank provides food to more than 100,000 un-duplicated children, seniors, families and individuals in need in Santa Barbara County each year;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, MARTY BLUM, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Mayor of the City of Santa Barbara, do hereby proclaim April 21 to May 21, 2008, as KCOY SPRING FOODBANK DRIVE MONTH and honor the Foodbank of Santa Barbara County for its ongoing battle against hunger.

IN WITNESS THEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Official Seal of the City of Santa Barbara, California, to be affixed this 22nd day of April, 2008.

Marty Blum
MARTY BLUM, MAYOR

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